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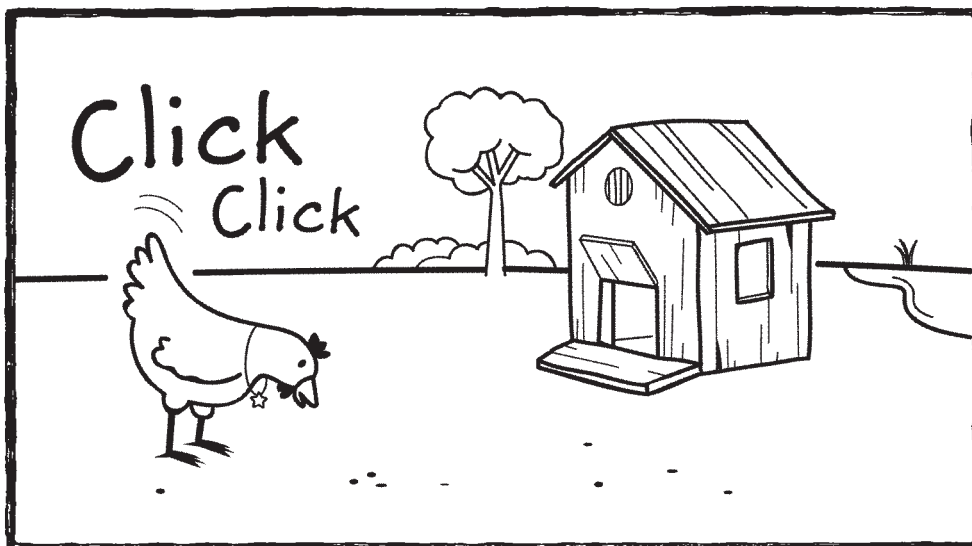


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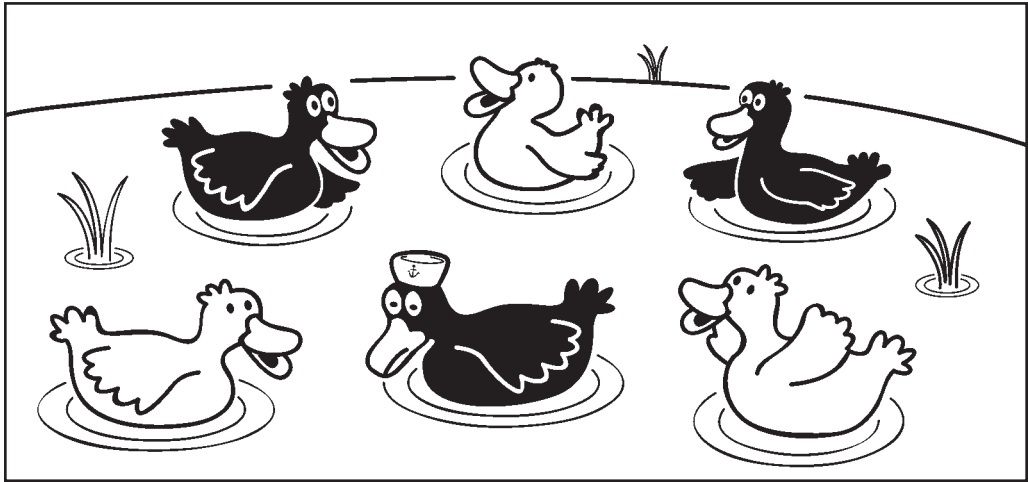
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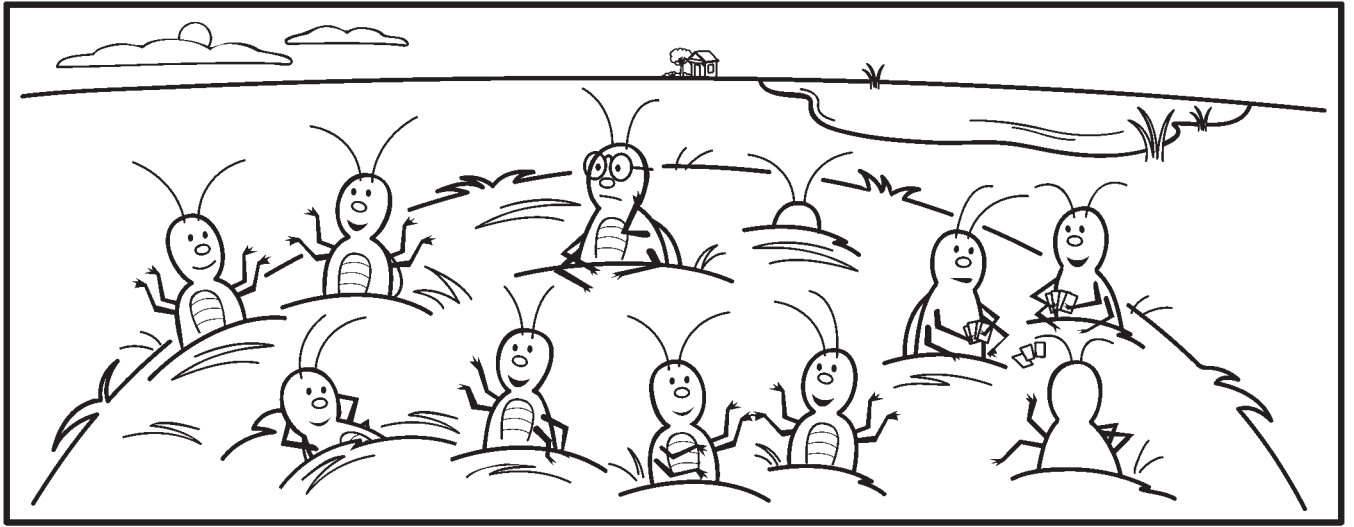


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ELEMENTS USED IN THIS BOOK	
New phonic element	ck digraph
Reviewed phonic element	long vowel VCe
Story words	patterns, consonant digraphs sh, ch hello, thought
Revised story words	happy
New high-frequency words	can't, funny
Special considerations	inflectional endings -ed, -ing, -s; possessive apostrophe s; two syllable decodable words

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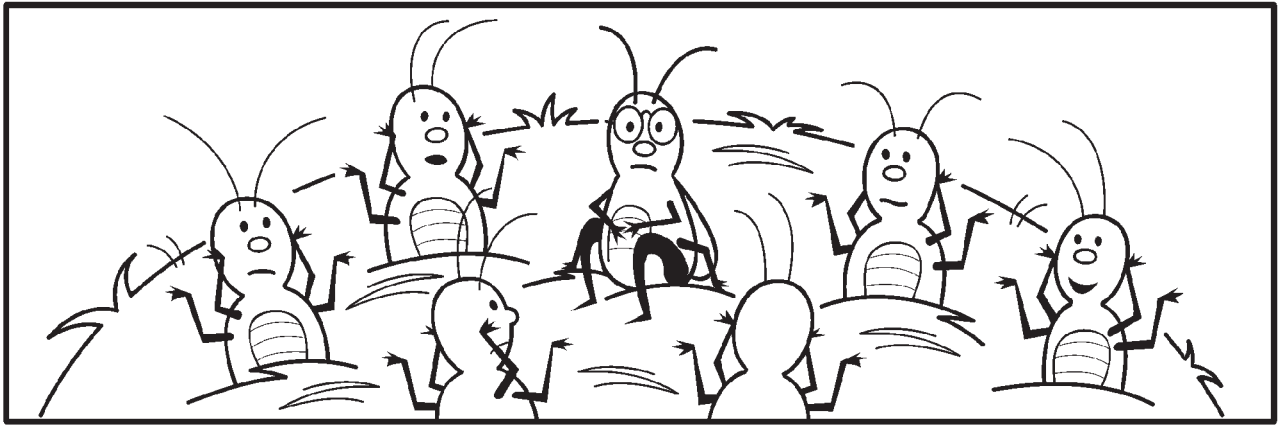
In a stack of grass by a pond,
there lived a cricket named Chuck.
Chuck lived with a pack of crickets.

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Chuck did not go click, click
like the rest of the crickets.
Chuck went quack, quack.



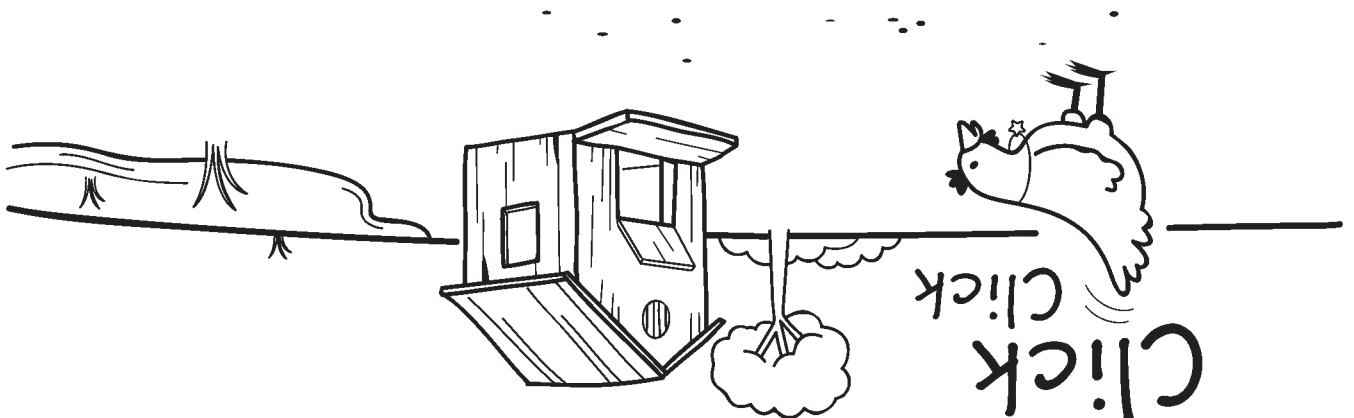


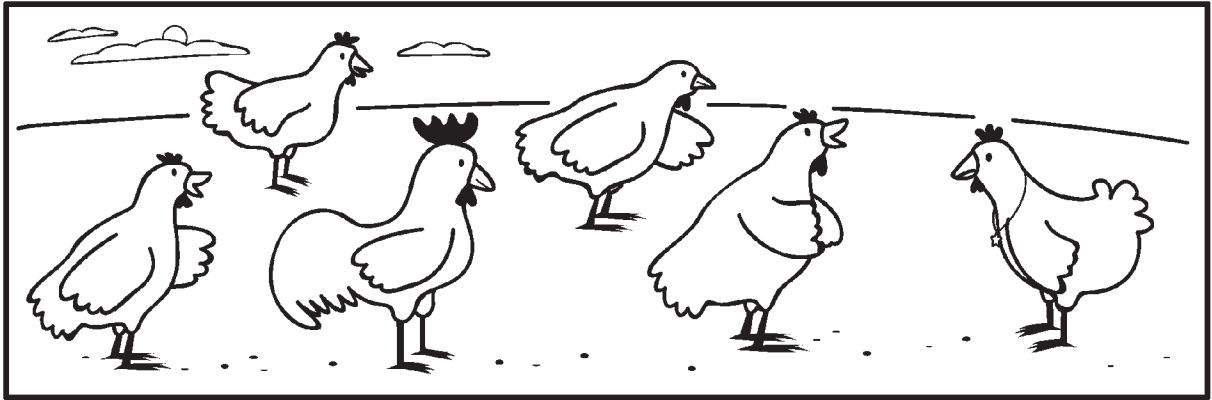
All the crickets made fun of Chuck
and his quack.
"Stop quacking," they said.
"You make such a racket."
This made Chuck sick.
"I am sad I am stuck
with this quack," he said.

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Vick the chicken lived in a shack
in back of the pond.
Vick did not go cluck, cluck
like the rest of the chickens.
Vick went click, click.





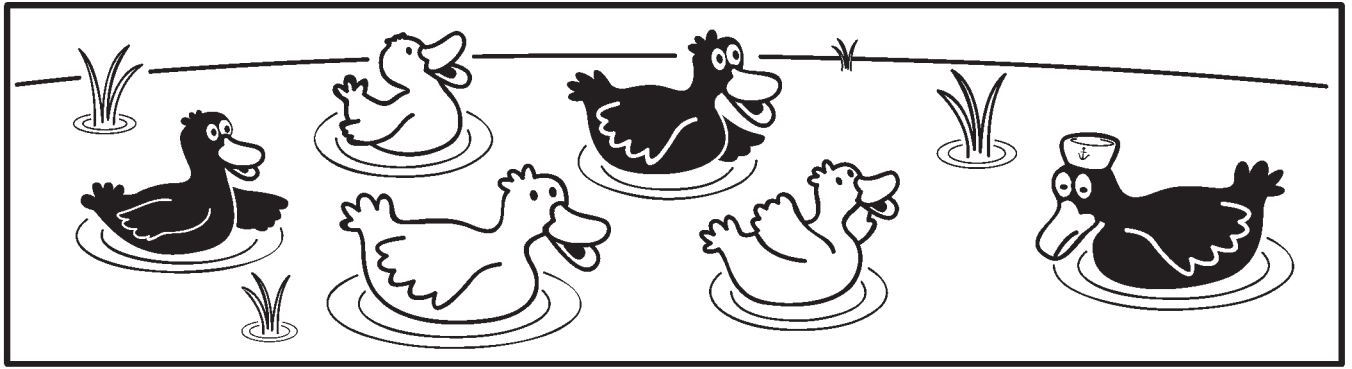
All the chickens made fun
of Vick and her click.
"Stop clicking," they said.
"You make such a racket."
This made Vick sick.
"I am sad I am stuck
with this click," she said.

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A black duck named Jack
lived on the pond.
He did not go quack, quack
like the rest of the ducks.
Jack went cluck, cluck.



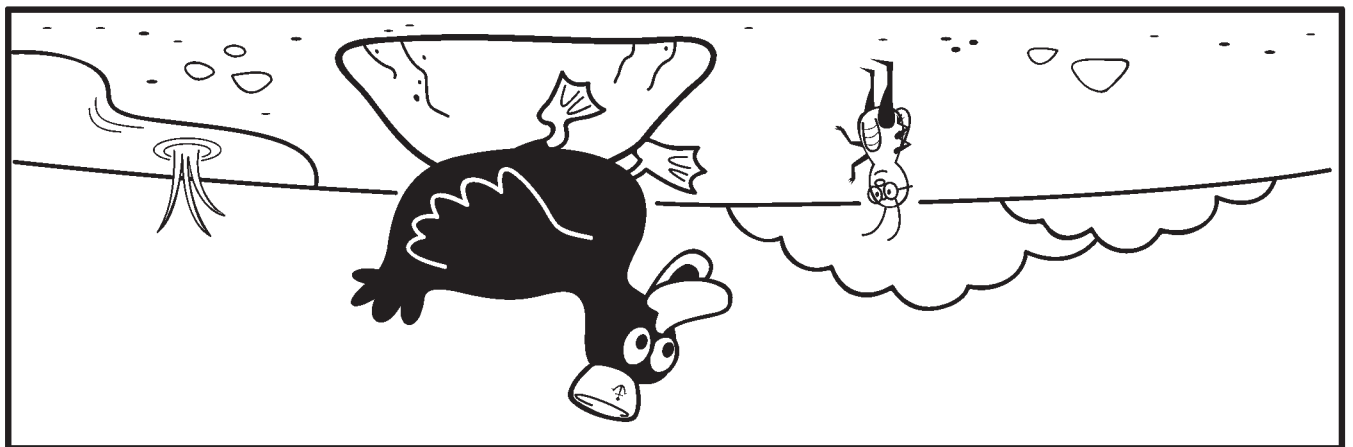


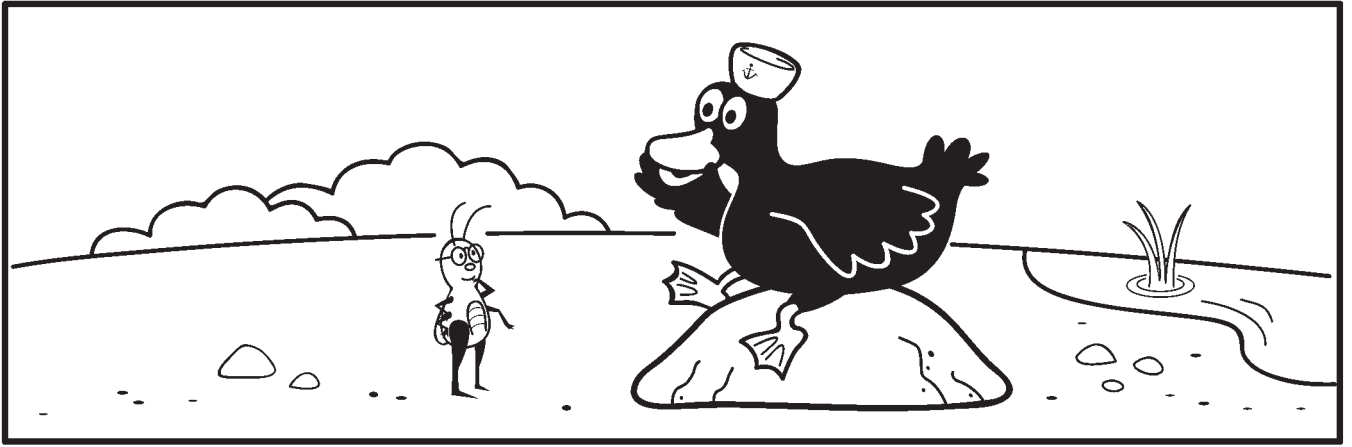
All the ducks made fun
of Jack and his cluck.
"Check out that duck," they said.
He makes such a clucking racket."
This made Jack sick.
"I am sad I am stuck
with this cluck," he said.

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One day Chuck went to look for a snack.
He saw Jack the Duck sitting on a rock.
"Hello," said Chuck with a quack.
"Hello," said Jack with a cluck.





"How funny," thought Chuck.

"This duck says cluck and not quack."

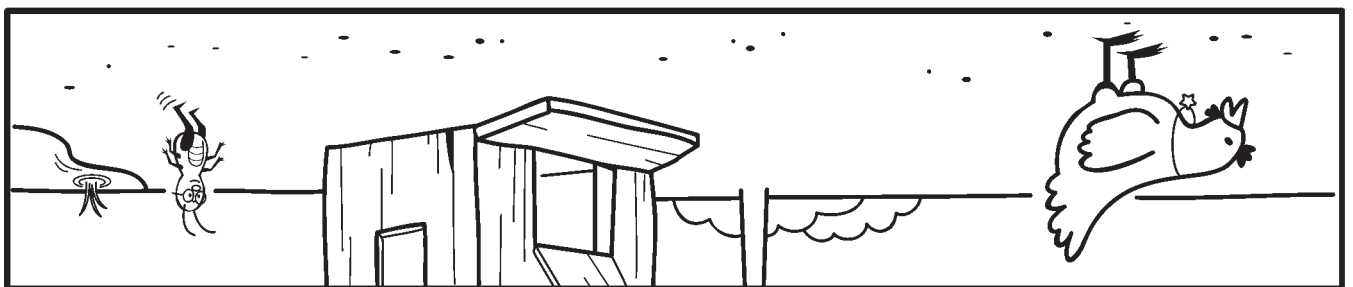
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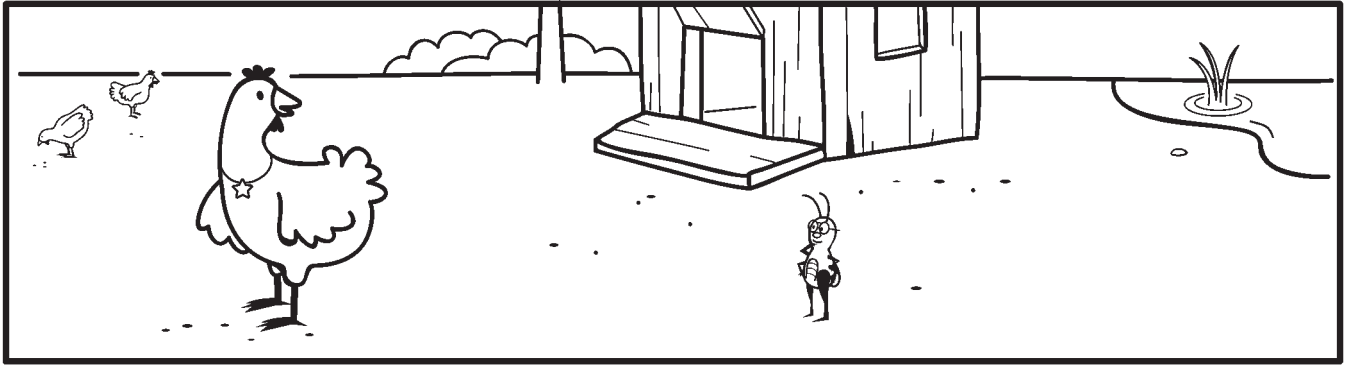
"This cricket says quack and not click."

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Chuck went hopping past the pond
to the shack.
He saw Vick the Chicken pecking
the sand.
She said, "Click, click."
"How funny," thought Chuck.
"That chicken says click and not cluck."



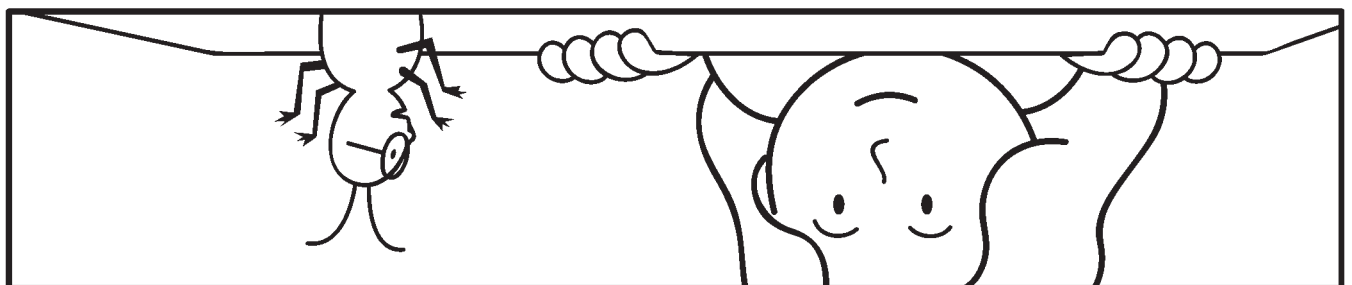


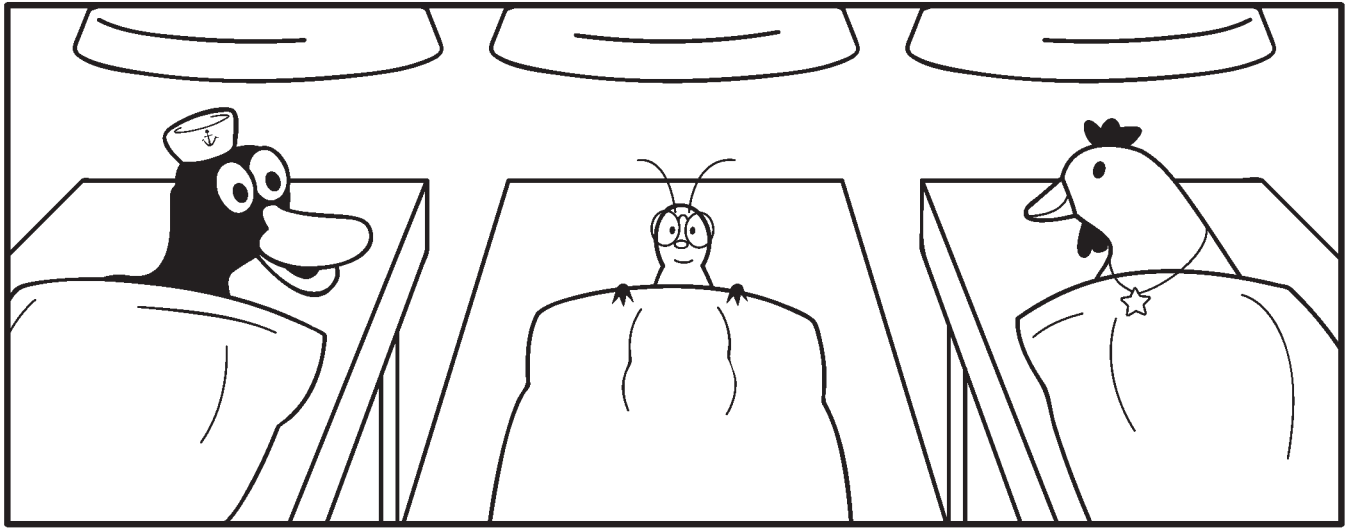
Chuck thought.
 He said, "I know a chicken
 that clicks, a duck that clucks,
 and I quack.
 Why can't we trade
 the click, the cluck, and the quack?"

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Chuck hopped on a truck
 and went to see a vet.
 "Can you help a chicken that clicks,
 a duck that clucks,
 and a cricket that quacks?"
 "Yes, with a bit of luck I can,"
 said the vet.





Chuck took Vick and Jack to the vet
 The vet gave Chuck's quack to the duck.
 She gave the chicken's click to Chuck.
 And she gave duck's cluck to the chicken.

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Now Chuck says click, Jack says quack,
 and Vick says cluck.
 They are all happy.
 And the rest of the crickets, ducks,
 and chickens are happy, too.

